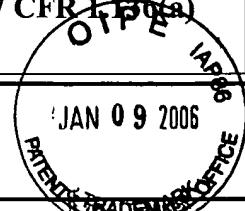
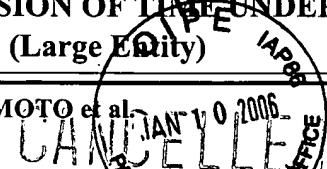


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
 (Large Entity)

Docket No.
 4296-135 US

In Re Application Of: **MITSUMOTO et al.**



Application No. 09/823,093	Filing Date April 6, 2001	Examiner Virginia MANOHARAN	Customer No. 26817	Group Art Unit 1764	Confirmation No. 5491
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Invention: **METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF EASILY POLYMERIZABLE SUBSTANCE AND PURIFICATION APPARATUS**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of August 9, 2005 above-identified application.
 Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: November 9, 2005 *Date* until: January 9, 2006 *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$450** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

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